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August 20, 2012

Honorable Faith S. Hochberg  
United States District Judge  
Martin Luther King, Jr. Federal Building  
& U.S. Courthouse  
50 Walnut Street  
Newark, New Jersey 07101

Re: *United States of America v. Eric Gray*  
(Crim No. 03-549)

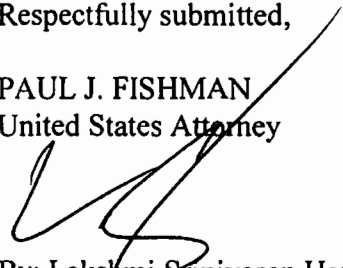
Dear Judge Hochberg:

On August 15, 2012, your Honor ordered that the United States file a letter brief in response to Defendant Gray's petition for a sentence reduction no later than August 31, 2012. I am writing to request a 60-day extension of time to file such response so that I may obtain transcripts of the Petitioner's plea and sentencing hearings, which I believe are necessary in order to properly respond to the Petition.

Thank you for your consideration.


Respectfully submitted,

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Request granted. No  
further extensions will  
be granted. SO ORDERED.

 8/22/12  
Hon. Faith S. Hochberg, U.S.D.S.